

## INSPECT YOUR PRODUCT FOR DAMAGE & MISSING PARTS BEFORE PROCEEDING TO INSTALLATION

Thank you for choosing Dee Zee to add function and accessorize your vehicle. Dee Zee has been a staple brand in the truck accessory market since 1977 and we hold a reputation of quality manufacturing based in America's Heartland. Our products are born through careful engineering and backed by industry leading warranty programs. We appreciate the opportunity to serve you and your vehicle!

## Review the instruction pages in their entirety to prepare the required tools

*Warning:* Please check for wiring or other obstructions before drilling any holes in the vehicle. If it is necessary to drill any holes, Dee Zee recommends putting a sealant or rust inhibitory around all holes drilled into the body of the vehicle.

It is the sole responsibility of the vehicle owner to check for tire clearance. It is unlawful and dangerous to ride on any external vehicle step while the vehicle is in motion.

*Cleaning*: To be entitled to all warranty rights offered with the product, Dee Zee steps need to be cleaned regularly with a mild detergent. Do NOT use abrasive cleaners. For stainless steel products, the application of a high grade automotive wax is recommended.

## **WARNING**

Operating, servicing, and maintaining a passenger vehicle can expose you to chemicals such as lead, phthalates, engine exhaust, and carbon monoxide that are known to the State of California cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. To minimize exposure, service your vehicle and its accessories in a well-vented area and wear gloves or wash your hands frequently.





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Required tools			Recommended Tools
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Ratchet / Wrench 13mm	Utility Knife	∽ Rubber Mallet	Tape Measure
<b>1</b> First use the utility knife to cut along the outline of the stake pocket on the bedcap from the front and middle locations. Only the 8 foot bed application has a middle location.			
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2 Install all endcaps (B) on the rails (A) by first hand pushing them to set in place, then hitting them with a rubber mallet.			
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**5** Assemble the rear bracket by putting the u clips (L) into the slots in the rear bracket (E). Then put the bolt (M) through the stanchion (F) then through the rear plate (H) and thread the rear bracket assembly onto the bolt. There will need to be a left and right assembly, to do this flip the rear plate over



Install the front bracket assembly from step 3 into the front stake pocket. Twist the front bracket so that the bracket is in line with the truck bed. <u>Hand tighten the bolt. Do not</u> <u>fully tighten hardware at this time.</u>



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